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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Inventor: Shaun JORDAN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1614
Serial No.: 10/055,915) Examiner: William R. A. Jarvis
Filed: January 28, 2002)
For: 5-HT_{1A} Receptor Subtype Agonist)

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RESPONSE

In response to the requirement of May 16, 2003 for election of a single carbostyryl compound, applicants elect the compound of claim 20. This same compound is also set forth in claim 32.

The structure of this compound can be found in formula (1) on page 15 of the application where the carbon-carbon bond between the 3- and 4- positions of the carbostyryl skeleton is a single bond.

In response to the requirement for election of a single disclosed disorder, applicants elect depression as set forth, for example, in claim 2.

Applicants understand that the claims will only have to be restricted to the elected species in the event a generic claim is not found to be allowable.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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